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## HARNACK INEQUALITIES FOR SOLUTIONS OF PRESCRIBED SCALAR CURVATURE TYPE EQUATIONS.

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ABSTRACT. We give Harnack inequalities for solutions of equations of type prescribed scalar curvature in dimensions n > 4.

#### 1. Introduction and Main Results

We consider on a Riemannan manifold (M, g) of dimension  $n \geq 4$ , the equation:

$$\Delta u + hu = Vu^{(n+2)/(n-2)}, u > 0, (E)$$

with, h a smooth function and  $0 < a \le V(x) \le b < +\infty, ||\nabla V||_{\infty} \le A$ .

Equation of this type were considered by many authors, see [1-24]. This equation arise in physics and astronomy. Here we look to a priori estimates of type sup, inf which are characteristic of this equation.

Let  $(u_k)$  a sequence of solutions of (E).

We fix a compact set K of M. We want to prove that: for each compact, for all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ :  $\sup_K u_k$  and  $\inf_M u_k$  are linked.

- 1) If there is a "big" compact  $K_0$  for which there is a subsequence  $\sup_{K_0} u_{i_j}$  is bounded, then we have a compactness result for a "big"  $K_0$  and for  $K \subset K_0$  the sequence  $(u_{i_j})$  is bounded.
  - 2) If for all compact K,  $\sup_K u_k \to +\infty$ . We do a blow-up. We consider  $\sup_K u_k = u_k(y_k)$ . Consider  $R_k \to 0$ ,  $R_k^{(n-2)/2} = [u_k(y_k)]^{-\epsilon}$  with  $0 < \epsilon < 1$ . Then:

$$R_k^{(n-2)/2} \sup_{B_{R_k}(y_k)} u_k \ge c_k = [u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \to +\infty.$$

We use the blow-up technique to have,  $\exists t_k, \bar{t}_k, u_k(t_k) \geq u_k(\bar{t}_k) \geq u_k(y_k) \to +\infty$ . We do a blow-up, then we consider:

$$n=4,\ v_k(y)=r_ku_k(t_k+r_ky)=r_ku(\exp_{t_k}(r_ky)), r_k=[u_k(y_k)]^{-\epsilon},$$
 with,  $\epsilon>0,$  and,

$$n\geq 5, \ v_k(y)=r_ku_k(t_k+(r_k)^{2/(n-2)}y)=r_ku_k(\exp_{t_k}(r_k^{2/(n-2)}y)), r_k=[u_k(t_k)]^{-\epsilon},$$
 with,  $\epsilon>\frac{(n-4)}{n-2}.$ 

Note that, here we have considered all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ .

Let's consider the blow-up functions  $(v_k)$  defined previously with the exponential maps for  $n \geq 4$ ,  $\exp_{t_k}(y)$ , like in the previous papers for the dimensions, 4, 5, 6. Because we consider the compact sets K, 2K, and  $t_k \in 2K$ , the injectivity radius is uniformly bounded below by a positive number. Thus, we can consider all the terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$  without extraction.(After supposing the assertion inf  $v_k \geq m > 0$  infinitly many times, we can use extraction, for the points  $(t_k)$ ).

We fix m>0, we prove the result by assuming  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ , like for the dimensions 4 and 6. After we take  $m=r_k\inf u_k>0$ . Suppose by contradiction, that there is infinitly many  $(v_k)$  with  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ , the proof imply that  $[u_k(\cdot)]^{1-\epsilon}=v_k(0)\leq c(m)<+\infty$  which is impossible. Thus, there is a finite number of terms such that  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ ,  $k_1,\ldots,k_{i(m)}$ .

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Thus we have also,  $v_k(0) \le c(m)$  when  $\inf v_k \ge m > 0$ . In all cases, we have the following assertion:

$$\inf v_k > m > 0 \Rightarrow [u_k(\cdot)^{1-\epsilon}] = v_k(0) < c(m) < +\infty,$$

we obtain:

There is a non-increasing positive function  $m \to c(m) > 0$ , such that  $\inf v_k \ge m > 0 \Rightarrow (u_k(\cdot))^{1-\epsilon} \le c(m)$ . then we apply this with  $m = r_k \inf u_k$ , we obtain for all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ :

$$n = 4, [u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le c(a, b, A, \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(y_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g),$$

and,

$$n \ge 5, \ [u_k(t_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le c(a, b, A, \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(t_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g).$$

For  $n \geq 5$ , we set,  $0 < \epsilon_k = \frac{u_k(y_k)}{u_k(t_k)} \leq 1$ ,  $\epsilon_k = \epsilon_k(K)$ , we obtain:

$$n \ge 5$$
,  $[u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le \epsilon_k^{1-\epsilon} c(a, b, A, \epsilon_k^{\epsilon} \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(y_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g)$ .

We have  $u_k(y_k) = \sup_K u_k$ , we obtain:

#### **Theorem 1.1.** We have:

1) There is a compact  $K_0$  of M and a subsequence  $i_j$  and a positive constant C > 0, such that:

$$\sup_{K_0} u_{i_j} \le C, \ \forall j.$$

Or,

2) For all compact K,  $\sup_K u_k \to +\infty$  and:

$$n=4$$
,  $(\sup_{K} u_k)^{1-\epsilon} \le c(a,b,A,\frac{\inf u_k}{(\sup_{K} u_k)^{\epsilon}},K,M,g)$ ,

with  $\epsilon > 0$ , and,

$$n \ge 5$$
,  $(\sup_{K} u_k)^{1-\epsilon} \le \epsilon_k^{1-\epsilon} c(a, b, A, \epsilon_k^{\epsilon} \frac{\inf u_k}{(\sup_{K} u_k)^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g)$ ,

with, 
$$\epsilon > \frac{(n-4)}{n-2}$$

We can see that  $\sup_K u_k$  and  $\inf_M u_k$  are linked. There is a relation which link these two quantities. For all compact K and all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\sup_K u_k$  and  $\inf_K u_k$  are linked by the previous relations. There is a positive function  $c(\cdot,\cdot,\cdot)>0$ , such that for all k,  $\sup_K u_k=c(K,\epsilon_k,\inf_M u_k)$ . If we denote  $F=\{u_k\}, G=\{\epsilon_k=\epsilon_k(K)\}, F\times G=\{(u_k,\epsilon_k)\}, 0<\epsilon_k=\epsilon_k(K)\leq 1$ , we have:

$$\exists\, c(\cdot,\cdot,\cdot)>0,\ \forall K\subset M,\ \forall (u,\epsilon)\in F\times G,\ \sup_{K}u=c(K,\epsilon(K),\inf_{M}u)$$

or,

$$\exists \, c(\cdot,\cdot,\cdot) > 0, \,\, \forall K \subset M, \,\, \forall (u,\epsilon) \in F \times G, \,\, (\sup_K u)^{1-\epsilon} \leq c(K,\epsilon,\frac{\inf u}{(\sup_K u)^\epsilon}).$$

We write this to highlight the rolling-up phenomenon and the distortion.

#### 2. Proof of the result

For the proof, we use the computations of previous papers with modifications, see [3,5,8,9]. I) *blow-up analysis:* 

Let  $(u_k)$  a sequence of solutions of (E). We fix a compact set K of M. We want to prove that: for each compact, for all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ :  $\sup_K u_k$  and  $\inf_M u_k$  are linked.

- 1) If there is a "big" compact  $K_0$  for which there is a subsequence  $\sup_{K_0} u_{i_j}$  is bounded, then we have a compactness result for a "big"  $K_0$  and for  $K \subset K_0$  the sequence  $(u_{i_j})$  is bounded.
  - 2) If for all compact K,  $\sup_K u_k \to +\infty$ . We do a blow-up. We consider  $\sup_K u_k = u_k(y_k)$ . Consider  $R_k \to 0$ ,  $R_k^{(n-2)/2} = [u_k(y_k)]^{-\epsilon}$  with  $0 < \epsilon < 1$ . Then:

$$R_k^{(n-2)/2} \sup_{\bar{B}_{R_k}(y_k)} u_k \ge c_k = [u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \to +\infty.$$

We use the blow-up technique to have,  $\exists t_k, \bar{t}_k, u_k(t_k) \ge u_k(\bar{t}_k) \ge u_k(y_k) \to +\infty$ .

$$\bar{t}_k$$
,  $\sup_{\bar{B}_{R_k}(y_k)} u_k = u_k(\bar{t}_k) \ge u_k(y_k) > 0$ ,

We consider  $s_k(y) = (R_k - d(y, \bar{t}_k))^{(n-2)/2} u_k(y)$ , and,

$$t_k$$
,  $\sup_{\bar{B}_{R_k}(\bar{t}_k)} s_k = s_k(t_k) \ge s_k(\bar{t}_k) = R_k^{(n-2)/2} u_k(\bar{t}_k) \ge R_k^{(n-2)/2} u_k(y_k) > 0$ ,

We do a blow-up, then we consider:

$$n=4,\ v_k(y)=r_ku_k(t_k+r_ky)=r_ku(\exp_{t_k}(r_ky)), r_k=[u_k(y_k)]^{-\epsilon},$$
 with,  $\epsilon>0,$  and,

$$n \ge 5$$
,  $v_k(y) = r_k u_k (t_k + (r_k)^{2/(n-2)} y) = r_k u_k (\exp_{t_k} (r_k^{2/(n-2)} y)), r_k = [u_k(t_k)]^{-\epsilon}$ , with,  $\epsilon > \frac{(n-4)}{n-2}$ .

Note that, here we have considered all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ .

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We consider,  $\delta_0 = \delta_0(K) = \inf\{\delta_P/4, P \in K\}$ , with  $\delta_P$  continuous in P and smaller than the injectivity radius in P for each P. We have a finite cover of K by small balls of radius  $\delta_0/2$ , we have a finite set of points  $z_j \in K$ :  $K \subset \bigcup_{\{j=0,\dots,l\}} B(z_j,\delta_0/2) \subset \bigcup_{\{j=0,\dots,l\}} \bar{B}(z_j,3\delta_0) = K_{\delta_0}$  is compact.

We take  $R_k^{(n-2)/2}=\inf\{u_k(y_k)^{-\epsilon},(\delta_0/2)^{(n-2)/2}\}$ . The small balls are all compact, thus,  $\bar{t}_k$  exist and  $t_k$  exist. We take  $r_k=\inf\{\delta_P/4,P\in K_{\delta_0},u_k(t_k)^{-\epsilon}\}$ . Thus  $\bar{t}_k,t_k$  and  $\exp_{t_k}(\cdot)$  and  $v_k$  are defined for all  $k\geq 0$ .

We fix m>0, we prove the result by assuming  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ , like for the dimensions 4 and 6. After we take  $m=r_k\inf u_k>0$ . Suppose by contradiction, that there is infinitly many  $(v_k)$  with  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ , the proof imply that  $[u_k(\cdot)]^{1-\epsilon}=v_k(0)\leq c(m)<+\infty$  which is impossible. Thus, there is a finite number of terms such that  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ ,  $k_1,\ldots,k_{i(m)}$ . Thus we have also,  $v_k(0)\leq c(m)$  when  $\inf v_k\geq m>0$ . In all cases, we have the following assertion:

$$\inf v_k \ge m > 0 \Rightarrow [u_k(\cdot)^{1-\epsilon}] = v_k(0) \le c(m) < +\infty,$$

we obtain:

There is a non-increasing positive function  $m \to c(m) > 0$ , such that  $\inf v_k \ge m > 0 \Rightarrow (u_k(\cdot))^{1-\epsilon} \le c(m)$ . then we apply this with  $m = r_k \inf u_k$ , we obtain for all terms of the sequence  $(u_k)$ :

$$n = 4, \ [u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le c(a, b, A, \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(y_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g),$$

and,

$$n \ge 5, \ [u_k(t_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le c(a, b, A, \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(t_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g).$$

For  $n \geq 5$ , we set,  $0 < \epsilon_k = \frac{u_k(y_k)}{u_k(t_k)} \leq 1$ ,  $\epsilon_k = \epsilon_k(K)$ , we obtain:

$$n \ge 5$$
,  $[u_k(y_k)]^{1-\epsilon} \le \epsilon_k^{1-\epsilon} c(a, b, A, \epsilon_k^{\epsilon} \frac{\inf u_k}{[u_k(y_k)]^{\epsilon}}, K, M, g)$ .

We have  $u_k(y_k) = \sup_K u_k$ .

II) Auxiliary function and moving-plane method:

We use the computations of previous papers with modifications, see [3,5,8,9]. We consider:

$$w_k(t,\theta) = e^{(n-2)t/2}v_k(e^t\theta) - \frac{m}{2}e^{(n-2)t/2},$$

We have  $\lambda_k = \frac{-2}{n-2} \log v_k(0)$ .

1) The biggest term is the term of V (for  $n \geq 6$ ):  $w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{2/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}), t_0 \geq t \geq \xi_k$ . Because we must compare:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} r_k^{2/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}})$$
 and  $(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)}$ ,

and, we have used the mean value theorem for  $f(t) = t^{(n+2)/(n-2)}$ , and  $w_k^{\xi_k} \leq w_k$  to have:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)} \le c(w_k^{\xi_k})^{4/(n-2)}(w_k^{\xi_k} - w_k),$$

and,

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{4/(n-2)}(w_k^{\xi_k}-w_k) \le c(w_k^{\xi_k})^{4/(n-2)}(e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}-e^{(n-2)t/2}).$$

Now, we write:

$$e^{t} = e^{(n-2)t/2}e^{(4-n)t/2} < e^{(4-n)\xi_k/2}e^{(n-2)t/2}$$

we integrate between t and  $t^{\xi_k}$ , we obtain:

$$(e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \le ce^{(4-n)\xi_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

But,

$$w_k^{\xi_k} \le c e^{(n-2)(\xi_k - \lambda_k)/2},$$

Thus the biggest term is:

$$w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{2/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \le c r_k^{2/(n-2)} e^{(\xi_k - (n-2)\lambda_k)/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

but  $\xi_k \leq \lambda_k + 2$ , we obtain:

$$w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{2/(n-2)}(e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \leq c r_k^{2/(n-2)} e^{-(n-4)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

Thus,

$$n \ge 5, \ w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{2/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \le \frac{c}{[u_k(t_k)]^{\epsilon - (n-4)/(n-2)}} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

$$n = 4, \ w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{2/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \le \frac{c}{[u_k(u_k)]^{\epsilon}} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

These terms are controlled by the term:  $-\frac{m}{2}(e^{(n-2)t/2}-e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}).$ 

2) Also, we have for  $n \ge 6$ :

Because we must compare:

$$w_k^{\xi_k} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}})$$
 and  $(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)}$ ,

We must look to the term:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{1-(4/(n-2))} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}}) = (w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n-6)/(n-2)} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}}), t_0 \geq t \geq \xi_k,$$

We write:

$$e^{2t} = e^{(n-2)t/2}e^{(6-n)t/2} \le e^{(6-n)\xi_k/2}e^{(n-2)t/2},$$

But.

$$w_k^{\xi_k} \le c e^{(n-2)(\xi_k - \lambda_k)/2},$$

Thus,

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n-6)/(n-2)} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}}) \le c r_k^{4/(n-2)} e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

we obtain:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n-6)/(n-2)} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}}) \le c r_k^{4/(n-2)} e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}) e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2}) e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2}) e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2}) e^{-(n-6)\lambda_k/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t/2}) e^{-(n-2)t/2} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e$$

Thus.

$$n \geq 6, \ (w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n-6)/(n-2)} r_k^{4/(n-2)} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}}) \leq \frac{c}{[u_k(t_k)]^{\epsilon - (n-6)/(n-2)}} (e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

But,  $\epsilon > \frac{n-4}{n-2}$ , these terms are controlled by the term:  $-\frac{m}{2}(e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2})$ .

3) For n = 5: we have the terms: we use the binomial formula: we write:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{7/3} - w_k^{7/3} = ((w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/3})^7 - (w_k^{1/3})^7,$$

$$x^7-y^7\equiv (x-y)(x^6+x^5y+x^4y^2+x^3y^3+x^2y^4+xy^5+y^6), x=(w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/3}, y=w_k^{1/3}, y=w_$$

$$w_k^{\xi_i} - w_k = (x^3 - y^3) \equiv (x - y)(x^2 + xy + y^2),$$

Thus,

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{7/3} - w_k^{7/3} = (x^3 - y^3) \times \frac{(x^6 + x^5y + x^4y^2 + x^3y^3 + x^2y^4 + xy^5 + y^6)}{(x^2 + xy + y^2)}$$

Here, we have  $x \leq y$ , thus:

$$(x^2+xy+y^2) \le cy^2, (x^6+x^5y+x^4y^2+x^3y^3+x^2y^4+xy^5+y^6) \ge c'x^2y^4, c, c'>0$$
  
Thus, because  $y \ge \frac{m}{2}e^{3t/2}$  we obtain:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{7/3} - w_k^{7/3} \le c(w_k^{\xi_k} - w_k)(w_k^{\xi_k})^{2/3} w_k^{2/3} \le -ce^t(w_k^{\xi_k})^{2/3} (e^{3t/2} - e^{3t^{\xi_k}/2}), c > 0$$

For the case:  $A = (w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/3} r_k^{4/3} (e^{2t} - e^{2t^{\xi_k}}), t_0 \ge t \ge \xi_k$ 

We have:

$$|A| \le e^t (w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/3} r_k^{4/3} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}})$$

The dominant term is:

$$B = (w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/3} r_k^{4/3} (e^t - e^{t^{\xi_k}})$$

We have:

$$e^{t} = e^{-t/2}e^{3t/2} \le ce^{-\xi_{k}/2}e^{3t/2}, w_{k}^{\xi_{k}} \le ce^{3(\xi_{k}-\lambda_{k})/2}$$

Thus,

$$|B| \le cr_k^{4/3} e^{-\lambda_k/2} (e^{3t/2} - e^{3t^{\xi_k}/2})$$

$$\lambda_k = -(2/3)(1 - \epsilon) \log u_k(t_k), r_k = u_k(t_k)^{-\epsilon},$$

$$e^{-\lambda_k/2} = u_k(t_k)^{(1/3)(1-\epsilon)}, r_k^{4/3} = u_k(t_k)^{-4\epsilon/3}, r_k^{4/3}e^{-\lambda_k/2} = u_k(t_k)^{(1/3)(1-5\epsilon)}$$

The condition is  $1-5\epsilon<0,$   $\epsilon>\frac{1}{5},$  but  $\epsilon>\frac{n-4}{n-2}=\frac{5-4}{5-2}=1/3>1/5.$ 

- 4) We have the same thing for the dimension 4.
- 5) When we use the auxiliary function  $\frac{m}{2}e^{(n-2)t/2}$ , there is a term:

$$r_k^{4/(n-2)}e^{2t}(e^{(n-2)t/2}-e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}),$$

To correct this term, we consider a part of the term:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)}$$

We use the binomial formula as for the previous case of dimension 5. We have:

$$x = (w_k^{\xi_k})^{1/(n-2)}, y = (w_k)^{1/(n-2)},$$

$$x^{n+2} - y^{n+2} = (x - y)(y^{n+1} + \dots), x^{n-2} - y^{n-2} = (x - y)(y^{n-3} + \dots + x^{n-3})$$

Thus,

$$x^{n+2} - y^{n+2} = (x^{n-2} - y^{n-2}) \frac{(y^{n+1} + \dots)}{(y^{n-3} + \dots)}$$

Because  $x \leq y$  and,

$$(y^{n+1} + \ldots) \ge y^{n+1}, (x^{n-3} + \ldots + y^{n-3}) \le cy^{n-3}, c > 0,$$

We obtain:

$$x^{n+2} - y^{n+2} \le c(x^{n-2} - y^{n-2})y^4, c > 0,$$

Thus,

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)} \le c(w_k^{\xi_k} - w_k)w_k^{4/(n-2)}, c > 0$$

Because,  $w_k \ge \frac{m}{2}e^{(n-2)t/2}$ , we obtain:

$$(w_k^{\xi_k})^{(n+2)/(n-2)} - (w_k)^{(n+2)/(n-2)} \le -ce^{2t}(e^{(n-2)t/2} - e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2}), c > 0,$$

Thus the term:  $r_k^{4/(n-2)}e^{2t}(e^{(n-2)t/2}-e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2})$  is controlled by the term,  $-ce^{2t}(e^{(n-2)t/2}-e^{(n-2)t^{\xi_k}/2})$ , c>0.

We obtain the same proof in the previous papers, the dimensions 4, 6, see [5,8,9].

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